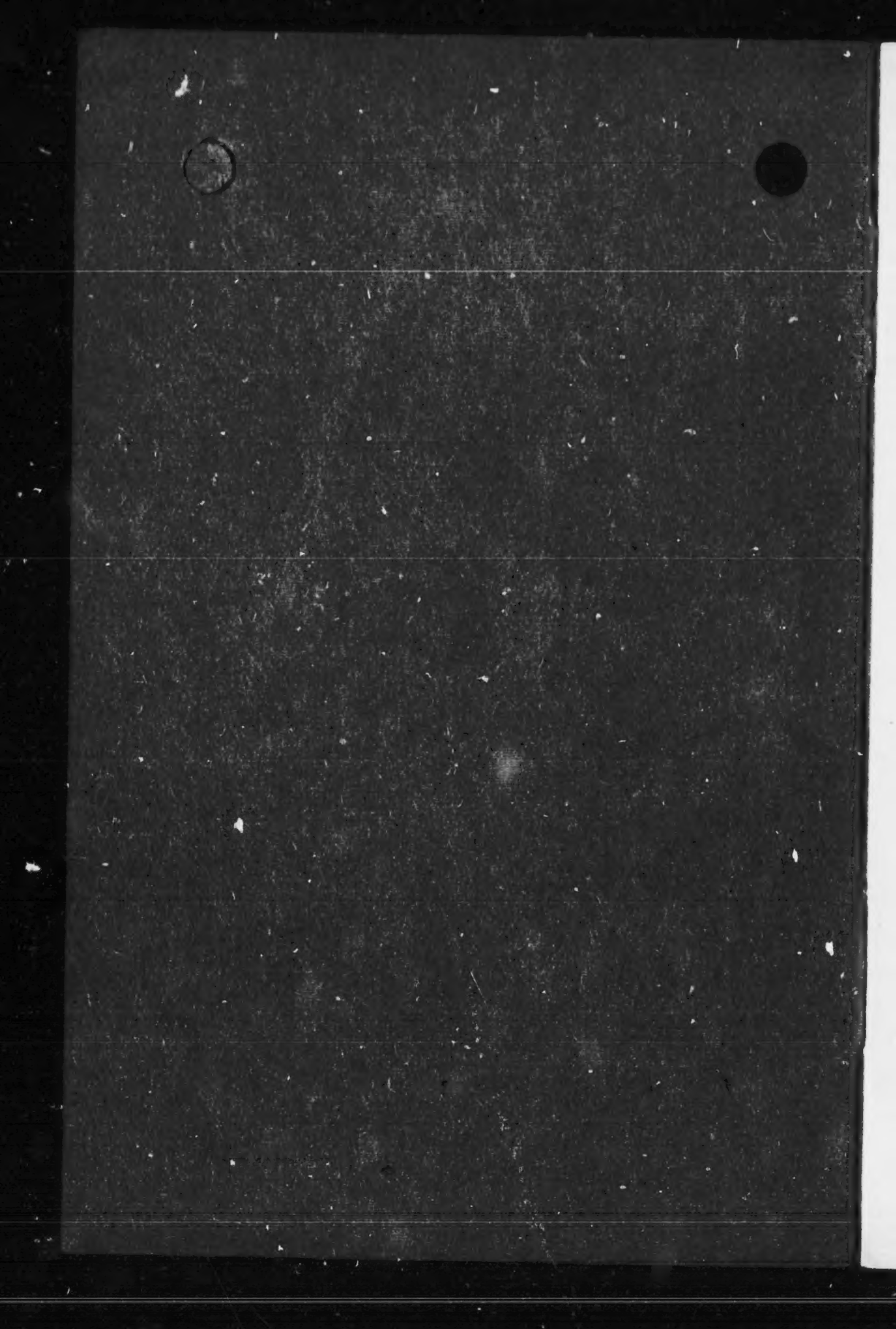


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ARTICLE I.

This body shall be known as the Coal Creek Literary and Athletic Association.

ARTICLE II.

Objects.

This Association shall have for its aim and objects:

1. The advancement of its members mentally, morally and physically.

2. This to be accomplished by providing good and wholesome literature, lectures, etc., equipping and maintaining a gymnasium and other indoor amusements, as well as to encourage out-door amusements.

ARTICLE III.

Officers.

The officers shall consist of a President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer and these four together with eight elected members of the Association to constitute a board of management of twelve members, to be elected by a majority vote at a business meeting of the Association.

ARTICLE IV.

Terms.

Section 1. All officers shall hold office for one year or until their successors are appointed.

Section 2. The election of officers shall take place the second week in December of each year.

ARTICLE V.

Duties of President.

Section 1. The President shall preside at all meetings of the Association and see that all rules of the Association are adhered to; shall have a general oversight of all matters pertaining to the well being of the Association, sign all orders drawn on the Treasurer, and shall be Chairman ex-officio of all Committees.

Section 2. The President shall have power to call a special meeting at any time he may consider it necessary, or when requested to by any six members in good standing.

Section 3. In the absence of the President, the Vice-President shall perform the duties pertaining to his office.

ARTICLE VI.

Duties of Board of Management.

The duties of the Board of Management shall be to oversee and direct the business of the Association; to see that all officers perform their duties; to hear all complaints presented to them in writing, and have power to discharge, suspend or expel any officer, servant or member against whom such charge may be made.

ARTICLE VII.

Duties of Secretary.

The Secretary shall keep a correct minute of the proceedings of all meetings of the Association, attend promptly to all correspond-

ence, draw all orders on the Treasurer voted by the Association or ordered by the Board of Management.

And perform such other duties as may be required of him. He shall keep a strict account between this association and its members, receive all monies due the Association by its members and pay the same to the Treasurer taking his receipt therefor. He shall keep a book in which he must see that all new members write their names against the dates of their admission; deliver up all books and papers belonging to the Association when called upon so to do by the Association or to his successor in office; prepare a statement every six months showing the number of members in good standing, the members admitted, withdrawn, suspended or expelled during the term.

ARTICLE VIII.

Duties of Treasurer.

The Treasurer shall receive all monies belonging to the Association, pay all orders drawn upon him by the Secretary voted by the Association or ordered by the Board of Management, if attested by the Finance Committee.

He shall whenever requested by the President or by a vote of the Association, give a statement in writing showing the amount of funds on hand. He shall furnish bonds to the amount agreed upon by the Association, and deliver to his successor in office all books, papers, funds and other property belonging to the Association.

ARTICLE IX.

Duties of Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee shall consist of

three members to be elected in the same way and at the same time as the other officers. It shall be their duty to examine all claims against the Association and all accounts which may be referred to them, report thereon in writing over their own proper signatures; also to inspect and audit the accounts of the Secretary and Treasurer, and all other officers or committee charged with the receipt or expenditure of funds of the Association, and report thereon in writing to the Board of Management.

ARTICLE X.

A janitor shall be appointed by the Board of Management subject to the approval of the general meeting. The duties of the Janitor shall be defined by the Board of Management.

ARTICLE XI.

Reports.

Report of Committees must be in writing and signed by a majority thereof.

ARTICLE XII.

Terms of Admission and Dues.

All persons admitted as members of this Association shall pay a monthly fee of \$1.00 to be deducted from the pay-roll at the C. N. P. C. Co. office. All persons not in the employ of the C. N. P. C. Co. admitted as members of this Association shall pay a monthly due of \$1.00. Such due to be paid within a week of the 1st day of each month, on penalty of suspension. After July 1st the entrance fee shall be \$2.50.

ARTICLE XIII.

Membership.

All persons admitted as members must be

possessed of some known and honorable means of employment. All applications for membership must be accompanied by the recommendation of a member of this Association in good standing.

Any officer or employee of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Co. shall be eligible for membership in this Association.

ARTICLE XIV.

Fines and Penalties.

If any member shall disregard the authority of the Board of Management by persisting in using improper language, or shall be guilty of improper conduct in the Association rooms, he shall be fined, suspended or expelled, at the discretion of the Board of Management.

ARTICLE XV.

Miscellaneous.

Section 1. It shall be lawful for the Board of Management to appoint special Committees from time to time.

Section 2. Gymnastic classes or athletic games which from time to time may be formed under the auspices of this Association shall have the right to make such laws as shall be considered best for the governing of such bodies, subject always to the approval of the Association.

Section 3. No part of these bylaws shall be amended, suspended, altered or annulled, unless a proposition is given in writing one month previous to a general meeting, which notice the Secretary shall put in a conspicuous place, at least two meetings prior to the time of its being acted upon. When two-thirds of all members of the Association present vote

in favor of such a proposition it shall be adopted.

ARTICLE XVI.

The business meetings of this Association shall be held the first week in each quarter, twenty members to constitute a quorum.

ARTICLE XVII.

This Association shall be non-sectarian and non-political.

ARTICLE XVIII.

Gambling shall be strictly prohibited in the Association rooms.

ARTICLE XIX.

Section 1. The sale of beer, soft drinks, and cigars shall be allowed in the Association rooms under the control of the Board of Management.

Section 2. No beer shall be sold to any member under 18 years of age.

Section 3. No treating shall be allowed in the Association rooms.

ARTICLE XX.

Any member in good standing may introduce a friend as a guest of the Association to have the full privilege of a member for a stated period.

RESOLUTIONS.

Resolved

That we, the members of the C. C. L. A. A., pledge ourselves to carry out the following resolutions:

1. That any member or members attempting to enter the Club Rooms, or going on the

verandah of the Club, in a state of intoxication, be expelled, and will not be allowed to re-enter the Club.

2. That any member or members getting intoxicated in the Club Rooms shall be expelled, and shall not be allowed to re-enter the Club.

3. That any member or members fighting or causing any disturbance in or around the Club buildings shall be expelled and shall not be allowed to re-enter the Club.

4. That no member be allowed to loaf in the bar.

5. That the bar shall be under the control of the bartender, and that he shall be held responsible for the conduct of the members while in the bar, and if any member or visitor causes any disturbance while in the bar it shall be the duty of the bartender to at once make a complaint in writing, giving the names of those who caused such disturbance, and hand it to the Secretary of the Board of Management, and that no beer be sold to go out of the Club unless on a doctor's order.

6. That the Janitor be held responsible for the conduct of the members and visitors in all portions of the buildings (except the bar), and he shall make a complaint in writing of any disturbance or misbehaviour, giving the names of those who caused such disturbance, such complaint to be handed to the Secretary of the Board of Management.

7. That the Board of Management have and exercise full control over the business and general welfare of the Club.

